GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE
LOK SABHA

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Eco-Sensitive Zone
Rajbhar Shri Hari Narayan

Will the Minister of ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS AND CLIMATE CHANGE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government has decided to create an eco-sensitive zone around Wild Life Sanctuaries and National Parks and if so, the details thereof; and
(b) whether the State Government of Uttar Pradesh has sent any such proposal to the Government and if so, the action taken thereon?

Answer

MINISTER FOR ENVIRONMENT, FOREST AND CLIMATE CHANGE
(DR. HARSH VARDHAN)

(a)Yes, Sir. The National Board for Wildlife in its meeting held on 17th March 2005, had taken the decision for declaration of Eco-Sensitive Zone around National Parks and Sanctuaries in consultation with State/Union Territory Governments.

(b) Out of 24 proposals received from the State of Uttar Pradesh, final notifications for 2 Protected Areas and draft notification for 9 Protected Areas have been issued.

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